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over here, you'll see what this all affects currently, and I emphasize currently, because it doesn't affect my area currently. But, if this amendment will get on, DEQ could affect my area, it could affect everyone's area. This is a step down the designation of all streams in this state. This is the first step down that path. We're giving DEQ the authority to designate streams. We're taking it out of this body. We're letting DEQ decide which ones will, which ones won't, all of these different things. Contrary to what Senator Beutler says, this is a zoning bill. This is a statewide zoning bill; it's not anything else; it's clear and simple, a statewide zoning bill on streams. Now, cold water streams, currently, I can live with the bill in its current form. You start adding all these additional amendment, and basically we have a statewide zoning bill. Now if we...if you want to go down that path, that's where we're headed with these amendments. The current bill is a zoning bill, pure and simple. You can argue that it isn't, but it is. If you just look at the language it's a statewide zoning on the stream bills. So, the more amendments that are proposed, the more that you try to add amendments, it gets the bill in the form that is going to be unlivable for the people of this state. So, even though it doesn't affect you right now, it will eventually, if these amendments are attached. So I'd urge the body not to accept the Beutler amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Schellpeper. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature, let's keep this discussion to the real world. This is not...this is not a statewide zoning bill. This is not something that can be applied hardly anywhere in the state. It can only be applied where the temperature of the water is such, and the existence of other habitat items exist, such as gravel beds, and trout. And there simply are not, but at the most, one or two small segments of stream that are known to anybody in the state that could come under this particular bill. Now, if you want to call any regulation relating to protection of the environment zoning, you can use that kind of broad definition, I suppose. But certainly in the legal world and in the common sense meaning of the word, environmental protection regulations are not, for the most part, in that category that we would